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Dear Dr. Hutchinson:

I have recently been requested to send some E. coli K-12 cultures to Miss. Daisy Kuhn in your laboratory. In addition, my colleague, Dr. T. C. Melson has been asked to do the same by Miss Mary Medill who is, I believe, also working in your laboratory. I am enclosing a set of these cultures, and would appraciate it if you would distribute them to Miss Kuhn and Miss Medill, as requested. A descriptin of the cultures and their use is also enclosed.

Sincerely,

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